

Sponsoring Organizations in Iowa-----

Grand Lodge of Iowa A.F. & A.M.

Members of the Masonic Fraternity, referred to as “Freemasons” or “Masons”, support their communities by leading through example, supporting charitable causes, and fostering unity and moral responsibility. Educational initiatives and outreach programs also reflect Masonic values.

Masons work to build better men and make stronger communities through ethical living, education, service and fellowship, guided by symbolism, tradition, and mutual respect.

“In the United States alone, Masonic organizations give \$1.5 million a day to charity. Every day worldwide, these members give of their time and energies to serve and enhance the well-being of their communities.”

Masonic organizations give their full support to young people who are members of Rainbow for Girls, Job’s Daughters, and the Order of DeMolay. These fine young people are training themselves to be tomorrow’s leaders. They are well served by observing the examples set by today’s Masons and Eastern Star members.

For more information on these Masonic Youth organizations, visit <https://iowaeasternstar.org/Youth.html>. Go to the “Links” page for additional information about related organizations.



Order of the Eastern Star in Iowa

The Order of the Eastern Star is a worldwide fraternal, non-profit charitable service organization associated with the Masonic “family” of related organizations, including Shriners, Scottish Rite, York Rite, and others.

Members of the Order of the Eastern Star are dedicated women and men who sincerely want to create a positive difference in the world with charitable works, lasting friendships, and meaningful projects for the benefit of all. Star members strive to promote faith, hope, and charity through love and service.

**BUILDING
TOMORROW'S
LEADERS
THROUGH
FREEMASONRY**



An Introduction to our Youth

Job’s Daughters International

Rainbow for Girls International

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Committed to developing and inspiring leadership, team building, and networking for young men ages 12-21, DeMolay helps boys become men of outstanding character through dedicated mentorships and unique life-skill programs together with community engagement.

The DeMolay journey begins with the chapter, a unique experience built on high values, involvement and leadership opportunities, including public speaking, fundraising, and event planning.

The success of DeMolay comes by putting the emphasis on training youth leaders through experience and encouraging them to lead.

Adult advisors work closely with DeMolay youth leaders to support the members of their local chapters and state leaders in DeMolay.



Job's Daughters International Sisters ~ Leaders ~ Friends

Job's Daughters is an international group organized for girls ages 10 - 20 in which its members grow and participate in meetings and events in a safe and supportive environment. Members plan their own activities, learning teamwork and problem-solving in the process. Girls ages 6 - 10 may become "Jobies-to-Bee."

Job's Daughters' mission is to help create confident young women, respect tradition, and shape the future. Their members will increase their confidence to prepare them to lead, while learning some invaluable skills, including the following:

- ◆ *Public Speaking*
- ◆ *Confidence*
- ◆ *Teamwork*
- ◆ *Community Service*
- ◆ *Money Management*
- ◆ *Leadership*



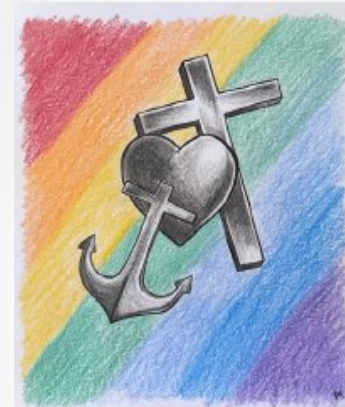
Rainbow for Girls International

The International Order of the Rainbow for Girls is a youth service organization teaching leadership training through community service. Young women learn about the value of charity and service through their work and involvement with their annual local and state service projects.

Through character development, teamwork, and effective interpersonal communications, Rainbow gets girls ready for life by teaching what matters most—leadership, confidence, and citizenship. The brilliant colors of the rainbow reflect the values learned by its members.

Rainbow for Girls prepares girls for responsible and purposeful adulthood through character and leadership development in a safe, fun, caring environment.

Rainbow values support three basic concepts:



1.
Have faith in a supreme being and in others;
2.
Have hope in all you do;
3.
Practice charity toward others.